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This is the most reasonably priced High Grade Shoe on the market. We have them in all the various leathers and styles.

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STATE NEWS.

—The liberty bell, in charge of Philadelphia police, will be on exhibition at the Charleston exposition.

—The Republican Executive Committee met in Columbia last week and endorsed Geo. H. Huggins for collector internal revenue.

—J. M. Hill, the brave depot agent at Greers, was shot three times on the night of the 15th inst. by a masked man, to whom he refused to surrender his safe keys.

—Mrs. Mattie Marcus, a white woman, working in the Camden Cotton Mill, shot and killed her husband, Henry Marcus. Her husband was advancing on her with a knife.

—Two young white men at Dillon tried to play a practical joke on a "skerry" negro Thursday night. As a result one of them, Baker Gasque, has a load of bird shot in his face and neck.

—In Augusta Columbia carried off most of the honors of the fireman's tournament, winning the prizes in every race except the hand reel race, and taking home \$750 of the \$950 prize money.

—Secretary Holmway, of the State Fair Association, is enthusiastic over the prospects of the Fair. He says that the entries are coming in thick and fast, and that the outlook now is for a far better class of exhibits than usual.

—At Greenwood there is a project on foot to organize a batting mill with 2,000 pounds daily production to use the waste of the nearby oil and cotton mills. T. B. Lee is interested and several thousand of the necessary \$20,000 has been subscribed.

—Calvin M. Smith, a prominent planter of Pickens county, was found murdered Tuesday night, 15th inst., in the road about four miles from his home. The position of a gunshot wound on the left side indicates that Smith was shot from ambush.

—J. J. Grafton, who is at the head of one of the largest tourist syndicates in the country, is in Charleston for the purpose of looking over the situation there with a view to inaugurating a series of tourist trains from various points in the United States to Charleston during the Exposition.

—It seems that F. H. Lynes, the Greenville restaurant keeper who attempted suicide two weeks ago, took \$30 from a young lady's letter on the day he attempted suicide. The young lady was his cashier, Miss Lillie Kennedy, and she had received the \$30 in currency. Lynes used it to pay debts with.

—The game of football to be played between the teams from the University of North Carolina and Clemson will be one of the best games of the season among the Southern colleges and the result will be awaited with great interest by the students over the State. It will be played in a few weeks at Raleigh, N. C.

—City Treasurer W. B. McDaniel, of Greenville, has made a report for two years, ending September 21. The income of the city for two years was \$128,498.26 and the expenditures the same. The bonded indebtedness and liability of the city is \$216,157.15, and the value of the property of the municipality \$33,917.00.

—The grand jury of Spartanburg county has reported a true bill against C. P. Sims, an attorney, for violation of the dispensary law. The warrant was sworn out by one of the constables two or three weeks ago. He is charged with selling through an agency, transporting and storing whiskey. Sims says it is a false charge brought by some of his enemies, and that he will come out all right.

—Governor McSweeney is considering his annual message to the general assembly. He will write a brief message, but will cover all possible points, but he does not want to suggest anything revolutionary. He will make certain suggestions along lines which have been clearly indicated by his course, while governor, with regard to the dispensary law, and in other matters.

—Superintendent McMahon is in his efforts to assist the county superintendents with the work of instructing the teachers, and in accordance with the recently issued course of study, has decided to send out Mr. McGhee to various points in the State to meet with the teachers on Saturday and give them instructions on the use of the course of study.

—There seems to be decided opposition to the creation of Lee county. Governor McSweeney has received a number of letters protesting against various phases of the fight, but the special fight seems to be on the area to be included in the new county. Governor McSweeney finds that the law does not make him the judge of any of these matters, and that upon the proper showing being made to him and the petition of voters, that there is no option for him but to call the election and let the voters settle the matter.

—Another shocking murder is added to the long list of crimes which disgrace Ashley Junction and its vicinity. The junction is six miles out of Charleston, and is widely known for the variety and heinousness of misdeeds which are there committed. When the store of Theodore Mapus was opened last Thursday morning his nephew Charles Mapus was found lying upon a bed with his skull crushed in and his face beaten out of all recognition. The store was looted and the contents which were not carried off were scattered about in great disorder.

GENERAL NEWS.

—Harvard University has 4043 students.

—Secretary Long will ask congress for an appropriation of \$99,000,000 for the navy.

—Vast nickel deposits, the largest in the world, have been located in Southern Oregon.

—King Leopold, of Belgium, has announced that he intends to visit the United States at an early date.

—The town of Alba, Tex., was destroyed by an incendiary fire. A large quantity of cotton was also burned.

—Kansas convicts earned \$41,000 for that State last year over and above the expense of maintaining the penitentiary.

—W. M. Kenyon, of Chicago, drowned himself at Omaha, Neb., and left a note saying he feared the long, cold winter.

—Edwin Lonngecker, aged 21, a student in Philadelphia, died Sunday with a broken back, the result of a football game.

—Pete T. Cogan, paymaster of the Virginia iron furnaces, was waylaid, shot and robbed of \$5,000 near Middlesborough, Ky.

—Senator Clark, of Montana, has been reading the predictions of a cold winter, and gone and bought 5,000 acres of coal land.

—It now turns out that the sugar trust having purchased the entire crop in Cuba is extremely anxious that sugar be placed on the free list.

—Harry C. West, an engineer on the Plant system, was waylaid, murdered and robbed at Palatka, Fla. He had just drawn his monthly wages.

—According to the estimates received at the Department of Agriculture, the wheat crop of the world for 1901 is larger than it has been for two years.

—Nearly seven thousand dollars have been contributed so far to the Atlanta Journal's fund for the erection of a monument to President McKinley.

—The warden of Auburn prison announces that many flowers and much fruit are being received for assassin Czolgoz, as well as hundreds of consolatory letters.

—All efforts to get in touch with the brigands who kidnapped Miss Stone have proven futile. The brigades declare that, if they are pursued, they will kill their captive.

—Oliver Stevens, of Boston, has been the county district attorney for twenty-seven consecutive years. He is a Democrat, but has been twice re-elected by the Republicans.

—Hon. Henry Watterston, the distinguished editor of the Louisville Courier-Journal, has announced himself, in an interview, a candidate for governor of Kentucky in 1903.

—According to the bulletin of the census bureau last week, there are now 1,815,097 more males than females in the United States. This ought to give every girl a chance.

—Johann Most, a New York anarchist editor, was found guilty and sentenced to one year in the penitentiary and to pay a fine of \$500 for publishing a seditious article in his paper.

—Louis Hoyt Holmes, of Springfield, Mo., has refused to change his name for a bequest of \$6,000. He says he was born a Holmes and no amount of money can make him any thing else.

—The agricultural department at Washington has decided to change the manner of distribution of seeds. Hereafter seeds will be sent to localities suited to bring about improved conditions.

—Kansas ranks John T. Stewart, of Sumner County, as its richest man and sets his wealth at \$2,000,000. He owns 130 quarter sections of land. Twenty years ago he was an office boy in Wichita.

—An entirely novel feature of the North Carolina State Fair will be a revival daily in a tent holding 500 people. Evangelist Lawrence B. Greenwood, of Boston, will conduct the services.

—A movement is on foot in North Carolina, promoted by the tobacco dealers, to erect a statue to Sir Walter Raleigh in Raleigh. Collection boxes are to be placed in stores where tobacco is sold.

—President Roosevelt announces that he will make no change in the Pension Bureau. Evans is satisfied. Senator Frye is mentioned as Secretary of State in the event of the retirement of Hay.

—Eighteen hundred and seventy-four Sunday Schools were organized in destitute places by the American Sunday School Union last year. Besides these, 594 were organized and 9,123 schools were visited or otherwise aided.

—An immense potato crop has been raised this season by irrigation in the State of Washington. The quantity for export is 2000 carloads, and one farmer will clear \$10,000. It is estimated that the crop will be 40,000 tons, worth \$1,000,000.

—The orange season in Florida has opened, and according to reports from various parts of the orange belt 1,100,000 boxes will cover the crop. The rehabilitation of the orange industry in Florida since the late freeze of 1895 has shown more progress in the last year than in the five years previous. The trees this year have made wonderful growth. The crop is unusually fine and growers everywhere are congratulating themselves on the outlook.

FROM THE NATION'S CAPITAL.

From Our Own Correspondent.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Oct. 21, 1901.

Interest in the attitude of President Roosevelt towards the South was increased this week by his inviting Booker Washington to dinner with him at the White House, receiving him just exactly as he would have received any other guest. This fact has, of course, caused something of a sensation among Southern men here, who assert that the President cannot realize the harm he has done by his action nor the effect that it will have on the negroes of the South. As a matter of fact, however, there is really no reason for surprise at Mr. Roosevelt's action. Professor Washington not being the first negro by any means, whom he has entertained. During his term of Governor of New York, he took a young colored singer, who had been refused accommodation by all the Albany hotels, to his house and lodged him there throughout his stay in the city.

There is a good deal of talk of the selection of some decent Republican (if such can be found available) or of some gold Democrat from the South, for a post in President Roosevelt's Cabinet, which is certain to be remodelled to some extent sooner or later—probably this winter. There may or may not be anything in this, but such a selection would be in consequence with Mr. Roosevelt's declaration that he did not intend to be sectional in his management of the government. Certainly no President can claim to be free from sectionalism who follows the example of all his Republican predecessors and excludes the vast area of the Southern States from all place in his Cabinet. Probably Mr. Roosevelt has not yet taken up this matter seriously and will not do so until the need arises. Meanwhile his selection of Governor Jones, of Alabama, for a federal judgeship shows that he intends to follow President McKinley's program of building up a decent Republican party and turning down the old disreputable party organization there. It is certain that he will not favor any plan to cut down the representation of the South on account of the suppression of the negro vote. Indeed, there is reason to believe that his ideas on this subject are not far removed from those of Senator Morgan, of Alabama, who said recently: "The negro is already sick of voting. There are 10 per cent of the race who can vote intelligently. The rest are for the most part on the market; their votes can often be had for a dollar or a drink. They have already been thrown over by the people. We are living under the fourteenth and fifteenth amendments to the Constitution, but if these amendments could be proposed now to a Congress they would not command the support of one-sixth of the Senate and the House. That is an indication of popular sentiment."

Indications continue to multiply that the Filipinos are not resigned to American rule any more than the Boers are to British dominion; they have ceased fighting because they realize that it is useless for them to continue; that is all. This is shown by the sudden outbreak in Samar and by other smaller and less successful uprisings in other islands. When the news of these first came, it was insisted by the War Department (and by General Otis, a fact which alone might well have made us distrustful) that the rising was only sporadic and would not interfere in the least with the proposed reduction in the number of our troops to be maintained in the islands. Now, however, General Chaffee has cabled that he thinks it unwise to withdraw any of the 42,000 men still there. Consequently President Roosevelt has decided that the 20,000 whose terms of enlistment soon expire shall be replaced by new men and that the present force shall be kept up indefinitely. Nor will the 7,000 men now in Cuba be withdrawn until next spring some time, so that about half the total available force of the United States will remain overseas for nearly a year longer at the least. Meanwhile, leaving aside the great expense that this foreign service entails, the home garrisons are suffering severely for want of proper attention. Scarcely one has a full regiment and even the largest have not enough men for the ordinary field manoeuvres.

President Roosevelt, it is learned, will follow the example of his predecessor and commend the building up of our shipping in general terms without committing himself on the subsidy proposition. He does this on the ground that he has not studied the subject sufficient to be able to advise upon it—an access of modesty almost incomprehensible on the part of the cocksure "Tough Rider." The fact is, however, that he shows pretty good political judgment in acting thus, as the Republican party is about equally divided on the subsidy question, and it is just as well to let the two factions fight it out. But it is probably the first time in his life that Teddy has deliberately kept out of a scrap.

It is eminently characteristic of Republican ideas that of all the members of that party who have pointed out means of disposing of the surplus, not one, so far as is known, has recommended a reduction of taxation that may prevent its piling up again. The motto of the Republicans has always

been to exact all the money the people can be brought to vote, with the confidence that means for spending it can easily be found. Thus, at the last session, with an accrued surplus of some eighty millions and an anticipated surplus of the same amount for the next year, all that the party would concede was an alleged reduction of \$40,000,000, which has turned out, so far, to amount to only \$1,000,000 a month, or \$12,000,000 a year. In the face of this, numbers of Republican Congressmen who have been interviewed on the subject, object to a reduction in taxation and suggest that the gold accumulations can be gotten rid of by redeeming and cancelling the greenbacks—a method, which of course, would merely substitute a permanent contraction of the currency of the country for a temporary locking up of it.

One evidence of the Republican ideas on financial subjects is found in the strong movement to negative the proposition of the Commercial Cable Company to lay a cable to Manila without any cost whatever to the government, and substitute therefor an act providing for a cable laid either by the government or with a government subsidy. Either way, the cost to Uncle Sam would be about \$20,000,000 in cash, and would involve the beginning of a policy of government ownership of public utilities. But then, think how nice it would be for the company that was aided.

A Reply to Mr. Ashley.

EDITOR INTELLIGENCER: Josh Ashley ought to know that when he comes out before the public for a little political airing that he is up also for a target to be fired at, and must stand and take his medicine. And when "Farmer's Son" wants some free advertising to aid him personally as a candidate he will also sign his homespun name, too.

After things got too hot for him, Josh no doubt voted for the bill in order to get "right on the records," but why did he fail to get those malicious newspaper men to revoke those "malicious" charges and lies? And set him right in these same newspapers? The inference stands that they spoke the truth, and could not be forced to withdraw it, and we are asked to take his statement from the records on faith in him, as we common people—we, hay seeds—can't get at those records. But who can have faith in any man who, in order to dodge a few dollars taxes to pay an honest debt due to our old indigent soldiers, will attempt to lay these old veterans and their sons into the snare of delusion in a nefarious assault upon our State's institution?

If Josh Ashley has a grudge against our State's Colleges let him come out upon his own merits and not try to make a cat's paw out of the now popular movement in behalf of our old heroes who wore the gray. Let every tub stand upon its own bottom. If he had rather see our State's great institutions in ruins than to pay this legitimate debt by taxation, let him say so, and not try to drag the cause of the old soldiers into the issue against the very principles of patriotism upon which he fought for and gained his world-wide reputation.

No, if they know what they are doing the old veterans that followed Lee and Jackson and our Hampton, they will never follow after the demagogue in his attack upon our State's monuments of patriotism.

Old soldiers—my comrades—keep the faith to the end, stray not away after strange gods in this late day. How long, how long will it be? Perhaps but a few days or months or a few more years at most when the last stragglers of our noble army will all be called to the shores of the Jordan, where our comrades are now crossing over every day. Be of good cheer, for we are told that the journey through Jordan is easy. The heavy rifles and knapsacks they carried on their backs when they waded the Potomac and other streams have been laid aside, and the tattered rags that now decorate our old decrepit and homeless heroes are washed in the clean waters as he passes over and are exchanged for the uniform of pure white, which harmonizes with the potted beech, where the lands at the foot of the hill upon whose summit stands the great mansion—a Soldier's Home erected there in memory of the battle of Mount Calvary. St. Peter, the guard at the gate of the treasures there, is not a demagogue. He knows the very tramp and posture of every loyal, brave and true soldier, and will point to the grand entrance of this Great Soldier's Home over whose archway may be read in brilliant letters the words: "Welcome, old Soldiers, Welcome."

FARMER'S SON.

Annual State Fair, Columbia, S. C.

On account of this occasion Southern Railway announces round trip rates from all points on its lines in the State of South Carolina, also from Asheville, Charlotte, Augusta, Savannah and intermediate stations to Columbia, S. C., and return—for individuals, one first-class fare for the round trip, plus 50 cents, admission to the Fair Grounds, minimum rate, including admission, to be \$1.00 for adults and 50 cents for children.

For military companies and brass bands in uniform, twenty or more on one ticket, specially reduced rates.

Dates of sale October 26th to 31st inclusive, and for trains scheduled to arrive in Columbia prior to noon November 1st, final limit, November 3rd, 1901.

For detailed information as to rates, etc., call on or address any agent of the Southern Railway or connections.

Editor Koester Appointed Collector.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Oct. 21.—The President to-day appointed George R. Koester Collector of Internal Revenue for South Carolina, to succeed E. A. Webster, deceased. Mr. Koester is a native of Charleston, who has for several years been the editor of 'The Columbia Record.' He is a bright, brainy young man, a straight fronted democrat and an ardent supporter of Senator McLaure's Commercial Democracy. The appointment will doubtless prove a great surprise to the white republicans, who have been applicants for the position, and very emphatically emphasizes the President's policy to make his selections for federal appointments in this State entirely regardless of party. It also significantly indicates Senator McLaure's powerful influence with the President, and gives the lie to the Tillmanite slogan that the Junior Senator is using his influence with the administration to disrupt the democratic party by building up a white republican party.

Dr. Clayton, who was supposed to have the appointment of Collector practically secured, will, it is said, be appointed U. S. Marshall to succeed Marshall Lawson W. Melton.—Special to the Greenville News.

Corner Creek Paragraphs.

Farmers of this locality are quite busy nowadays gathering the fruits of their labor, which are very good this fall. Corn is generally a fair yield throughout this entire community, as our people endeavor to make plenty at home to do them, and we are indeed glad to note that most of our farmers are making about enough this year for home consumption. Cotton is only a two-thirds of a crop and rather late about opening.

Mr. J. B. Hume's talks at Anderson and Homen Path, respectively, have put our farmers to thinking in regard to "deep plowing," and in consequence two of our farmers, Messrs. J. N. Shirley and Wm. Ricketts, are trying it as an experiment. We are confident that the results will be gratifying. They have prepared an acre each for oats; have broke the ground about 12 inches and thoroughly harrowed and fertilized it, and we are going to watch the results and report.

We are having some lovely weather for harvesting the farm produce.

Mr. G. F. Bigby, of Anderson, attended the Kay-Bigby wedding last week.

Miss Lelia Gassaway visited relatives near Bethel last Sunday.

Miss Janie Bigby, after a pleasant sojourn with friends and relatives at Williamston, returned to her home last Saturday.

Miss Leila Carville is attending the Due West Female College this session. Marshall Bigby, accompanied by his lovely sister, Miss Modena, spent a few days at Abbeville village last week attending the County Fair.

Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Shirley and several of their children spent Saturday night and Sunday with relatives at Antreville.

Rev. W. B. Hawkins, the much beloved pastor of Barker's Creek Church, has been unanimously elected to serve that Church for the ensuing year. Mr. Hawkins received every vote cast, which goes to show that the members hold him in the highest estimation as a minister of the gospel. Mr. Hawkins will baptize four young converts next first Sunday morning who joined on last meeting day.

One of the loveliest and attractive home weddings that has occurred in our vicinity in quite a while took place last Wednesday evening.

The contracting parties were Mr. John Kay and Miss Emma Bigby. Shortly before the appointed hour several intimate friends of the happy couple assembled at the home of the bride to witness the solemn ceremony. Promptly at 3 o'clock, after the parlor had been crowded to its fullest capacity, the bride and groom entered, facing the officiating minister, the Rev. Mr. Duncan, who, in a few, impressive words, pronounced them man and wife. After receiving the usual congratulations and good wishes from their many friends, the happy young people left for Pelzer, S. C., where they spent a few days with the bride's brother, H. M. Bigby. The groom is one of our most industrious young farmers, and is quite fortunate in securing through life such a lovely and amiable young lady as Miss Bigby. We extend felicitations to them and wish for them a long, happy life over sumptuous seas.

Several of our boys have been quite lucky 'possum hunting this fall, as they have caught several nice ones.

There will be a large crop of wheat sown in these parts this year.

Nearly every one of our progressive and energetic farmers have them a two-horse turn plow and a good harrow, and are farming on a higher plane nowadays.

Home folks are all well. T. W.

This is our greatest year. We are proud of our record, and are striving by every honest means to win you for a customer. Give us a trial if you have never done so before.

Vaudviver Bros.

If you are in the market for a Mower, Reaper and Binder call on Brock Bros. and buy the Deering, the most durable, lightest draft and best adjusted machine on the market.

HARNESSES—If you need a set of good harness call on J. S. Fowler.